States	Million kWh
Southern Region	**41331.03**
Bihar	1614.90
Orissa	614.47
Sikkim	0.00
West Bengal	2418.34
Eastern Region	**4647.71**
Arunachal Pradesh	0.00
Assam	64.96
Manipur	0.00
Meghalaya	1.50
Mizoram	0.00
Nagaland	0.00
Tripura	116.48
North Eastern Region	**182.94**
Andaman & Nicobar	0.00
Lakshadweep	0.00
Islands	0.00
ALL INDIA	**129699.58**

Additional projects under APDRP

2154. SHRI B.J. PANDA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have approved 94 additional projects under the Accelerated Power Development and Reforms Programme in the current fiscal;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) what is total number of approved projects under the investment component of the programme; and

(d) what are the main objectives of this programme and how far it has succeeded in achieving these objectives?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M. SAYEED): (a) and (b) The Government has apporved 99 additional projects under Accelerated Power Development and Reforms Programme (APDRP) during the current year. A Statement showing the number of projects sanctioned State-wise is attached (*See* below).

(c) The Government has sanctioned 499 projects under the investment component of APDRP till date.

(d) The Government is implementing Accelerated Power Development Reforms Programme (APDRP) since the year 2001-02 for upgradation and strengthening of the Sub-Transmission and Distribution system with the objective of reducing Aggregate Technical and Commercial (AT&C) losses, improving quality of supply of power, increasing revenue collection and improving consumer satisfaction. The States and Union Territories which have shown reduction in transmission and distribution losses in 2002-03 over 2001-02 are Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Punjab, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Uttaranchal, Chandigarh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Karnataka, Kerala, Bihar, Jharkhand, Orissa, West Bengal, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh and Mizoram.

Statement

State-wise number of sanctioned projects

(Rs. in crores)

Sl. No.	State	Number of projects sanctioned	Cost of the new projects sanctioned in 2004-05	Cost of the short-closed projects sanctioned earlier	Net cost of the projects sanctioned in 2004-05
1.	Bihar	1	63.44	—	63.44
2.	Goa	1	57.80	—	57.80
3.	Gujarat	7	75.45	—	75.45
4.	Jammu & Kashmir	2	241.16	—	241.16
5.	Karnataka	16	31.60	—	31.60
6.	Kerala	26	123.90	—	123.90
7.	*Maharashtra	9	38.17	47.78	-9.61
8.	Manipur	4	133.82	—	133.82
9.	Meghalaya	4	139.64	—	139.64
10.	Mizoram	3	53.37	—	53.37
11.	Punjab	6	34.80	—	34.80
12.	*Rajasthan	1	39.08	55.94	-16.86
13.	Tripura	3	80.37	—	80.37
14.	*Uttar Pradesh	16	324.57	324.57	0.00
	TOTAL	**99**	**1437.17**	**428.29**	**1008.88**

* States of Maharashtra, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh requested for short-closing of the part schemes of Rs. 47.78 crores, Rs. 55.94 crores and Rs. 324.57 crores sanctioned earlier. The cost of the new projects has been adjusted against the cost of short-closed schemes.